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Applicant: Andrew D. MURDIN et al.

Title: CHLAMYDIA ANTIGENS AND
CORRESPONDING DNA FRAGMENTS AND
USES THEREOF

Appl. No.: 09/523,647

Filing Date: 03/10/2000

CPA Filed: 12/18/2002

Examiner: Rita Mitra

Art Unit: 1653

CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)
REQUEST TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
Box CPA
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d), Continued Prosecution Application (CPA), for a:

Continuation Divisional

application of the above-identified prior nonprovisional application of:

Andrew D. Murdin
Raymond P. Oomen
Joe Wang
Pamela Dunn

in which no payment of issue fee, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this CPA.

- Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.
 Please enter the unentered amendment previously filed on ____ in the prior application.
 Please enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment.

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Enclosed are:

- Small Entity statement.
- Information Disclosure Statement.
- Form PTO-1449 with copies of ___ listed reference(s).
- Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Fee Totals
Basic Fee				\$740.00	\$740.00
Total Claims:	4	- 38	= 0	x \$18.00	= \$0.00
Independents:	1	- 38	= 0	x \$84.00	= \$0.00
If any Multiple Dependent Claim(s) present:				+ \$280.00	= \$0.00
				SUBTOTAL:	= \$740.00
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):				=
	TOTAL FILING FEE:				= \$740.00
Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) for suspension of action under 37 CFR 1.103(b):			+ \$130.00	=	\$130.00
	TOTAL FEE				= \$870.00

- Applicants request a three-month suspension of action under 37 CFR 1.103(b) (fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) enclosed).
- A check in the amount of \$870.00 to cover the filing fee and the fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) is enclosed.
- The required filing fees are not enclosed but will be submitted in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date Dec 17, 2002

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